



SERIAL NO. 10/673,526

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	TOKKONEN	Examiner:	Parthasarathy, P.
Serial No.:	10/673,526	Group Art Unit:	2136
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Title:	METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR CONTROLLING LOCKING FUNCTION		

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on March 27, 2008.

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2007, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, Applicant submits the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111. The present response is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Claims 1-22 remain pending in the application. Claims 11, 21 and 22 have been amended. Claims 23-25 have been added, and no claims have been canceled. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 7.

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